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In re Application of Ronald R. Martinsen et al. Application No. 09/677,445 Filed: September 29, 2000

: DECISION ACCORDING STATUS

: UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

For: Method for Synchronously Binding an External Behavior to a Web Element

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) filed May 21, 2001 (certificate of mailing May 18, 2001).

The petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is granted.

Petitioner has shown that the non-signing inventor cannot be reached to join in the filing of the aboveidentified application.

The above-identified application and papers have been reviewed and found in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status.

As provided in Rule 1.47(c), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing to the non-signing inventor at the address given in the petition. Notice of the filing of this application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

After the mailing of this decision, the file will be forwarded to Technology Center AU 2183 for examination in due course.

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